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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of:)
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AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 22, 2004, Applicants request a one-month extension of time and consideration of this Amendment to the above-identified patent application, in which:

The section entitled, "Changes to the Claims" begins on page 2;

The section entitled, "Changes to the Specification" begins on page 4; and

The section entitled, "Remarks" begins on page 6.

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